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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 344

Part B for Dec. 1924

SUBJECT

Request of Mr. D. Srinivasa Iyengar, Superintendent, Revenue Survey, that he may be given the maximum pay of the Superintendent's grade

To

Mr. D. Srinivasa Iyengar, B.A
Supt., Rev. Survey
No. 1264 Dy 28/11/24
States that Govt are not prepared to comply with his request

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Mr. D. Srinivasiengar, Supdt., Rev. Survey - D.O. No 94 & 10.11.24.

Requests that he may be given the maximum pay of the Superintendents' grade, i.e., Rs 1,200 or seconded as Deputy Comm^r 2nd class, from January 1923.

Mr Srinivasiengar was recently told that his request cannot be granted. He has submitted this representation for reconsideration of the above orders.

Submd with references.

put up 15/11/24

Duncan 15/11

Technical chart Seconding may be referred to the Hon'ble for law opinion 17.11.

Hon'ble will confer 17/4

Mr. Srinivasiengar has been confirmed as Survey Superintendent and retains no kind of relation with the general service from which he was drafted to the Survey Department. He was never appointed as Deputy Commissioner and had no place in the list of Deputy Commissioners. Seconding is an arrangement to provide for an Officer's right of reversion from one department to another and such right can exist only when it is conceded by Government. If Government are not prepared to post him as a Deputy Commissioner,

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Deputy Commissioner, he can have no place in the list of Deputy Commissioners as an officer seconded in that list. Apart from this consideration, Mr. Srinivasiengar is allowed a scale of pay, which if anything, is better than that allowed to a Deputy Commissioner as it rises to the maximum of Rs.1,200 by mere efflux of time and not on the occurence of vacancies in the first grade of Deputy Commissioners. Assured as he is of the maximum pay of a Deputy Commissioner, Mr. Srinivasiengar has no particular object to attain in asking for a place in the list of Deputy Commissioners. Any advancement above the rank of a Deputy Commissioner is the result of choice to be made by Government and does not go to an officer simply on the ground that he has got a place in the list of Deputy Commissioners. Seconding an officer in one list when he has a permanent place elsewhere is an unnecessary condition of suspense in either service and, for that reason, undesirable.

In these circumstances, I see no occasion for seconding him in the list of Deputy Commissioners.

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The case must clearly be explained any further

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D.O.No. 94

Office of the Superintendent,
Mysore Revenue Survey,
Dated, Bangalore 6th November 1924.

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CHIEF SECRETARY.
10 NOV 1924.

Reply 10/11/24

My Dear Sir,

With reference to your D.O. letter No.729 dated 16th September 1924, I beg to state that I am not seeking for any illegitimate advantage over my colleagues in my representations.

My Headship of the Survey Department has in no way benefited me. I have lost nearly 15 months' promotion normally due to me in the General line. I believe I am right in thinking that I have done nothing to be so punished or to incur the Government's displeasure.

As for the work in this Department I need not say much about it. The Government are aware that the enhanced programme of settlements is straining the Department's resources to its utmost. Late in my career, after 15 years' service in the General line, I was called upon to learn the various technical details of a Department new to me; and deputed to Bombay and Madras to study the methods there as compared with ours. I hope I may say without boasting that I have applied myself to the new work with zeal and tried to do my best.

All my colleagues and juniors taken from the General line to other Departments have been seconded in their places so as to preserve their rank. When Officers posted to Departments so diverse as the Municipal, Secretariat, Income-Tax, Palace and Railway Audit are seconded as Deputy Commissioners, I hope there is nothing unreasonable in asking that one posted to the Survey Department may also be treated similarly.

Lastly I beg to bring to your kind notice that the work of the Survey and Settlement Department is held to be of great importance both in Bombay and Madras and its Head has the same status as that of the Heads of Revenue and Excise Departments

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I have been doing work of a taxing nature ever since I took charge, for which Mr. Darashah, had the assistance of a Special Officer.

I beg to urge that it is very harsh to deprive me of encouragement along both lines. I ~~am~~ pray that the Government may, in consideration of these facts, be pleased to grant me the top pay of the Superintendent to compensate me for past loss, or to second me in my place as Deputy Commissioner, Second grade, from the due date i.e. 2nd January 1923, so as to preserve my proper rank.

Yours sincerely,

D. Srinivasa Iyengar.

To

K. Matthan, Esq., B.A.,

Chief Secretary to the Government of

H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,

Bangalore.

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Date of issue 28/4/24

Signed by W. K. Matthan

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D.O. No. 1236

To

Dear Sir

With reference to your D.O. letter no 94 S 10th Mar 1924 I am desired to state that as you have been confirmed as Sur. Suptd. and retain no kind of relation with the genral service from which you were drafted to the Survey Deptt. and as you were never appointed as Dy. Commissioner and had no place in the list of Deputy Comrs. report are not prepared to sanction your request

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for being seconded in the list of Deputy Comrs. I am to add that Govt are ~~are~~ cannot consider any further representations from you in regard to your emoluments or rank in the cadre of Deputy Comrs in view of the fact that you are allowed a scale of pay which is anything is better than that allowed to a Deputy Comr as he rises to the maximum of Rs 1,200 by mere efflux of time and not on the occurrence of vacancies in the first class of Deputy Commissioners.

Yours sincerely,

By

Chief Secretary.

D. Srinivasiengar Esq
Suptd, Rev. Survey

Govt are however prepared to consider your request to give you the max. pay of your post, viz. Rs 1200.

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List of enclosures.

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